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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

To whom it may concern ->

I'm writing to you about the proposed settlement between the Justice Department and Microsoft.

I like many in my field (I'm a programmer/consultant), I do not feel that the settlement, as proposed, will do much, if anything, to force Microsoft to modify its anticompetitive behavior. There are several outstanding issues that the settlement only (very) narrowly addresses. If Microsoft has shown anything over the years of interaction w/ the Justice Department is that they will not do anything out of good faith. Any settlements must have clear and succinct behavior modifications in it or it will be meaningless.

For reference: http://www.kegel.com/remedy/letter.html

Thanks, todd